## V5.16.1.5 – School Nurse Quick Start User Guide

Immunization documentation presented to school nurses upon enrollment is considered an educational record, and is therefore subject to FERPA regulations. As access to the WyIR is granted to school nurses for the purpose of acquiring a student's Official Record of Immunization, this guide will focus on that process. School Nurses must acquire parental/guardian consent on the WyIR Access Agreement for School Nurses prior to accessing the WyIR for their students, and keep that completed form on file for review in the event of a compliance audit by WDH staff.

There are basically three steps undertaken by school nurses: logging into the application/selecting a facility (school); searching/selecting a patient (student); and printing off an official record of immunization. This guide will present the steps below:

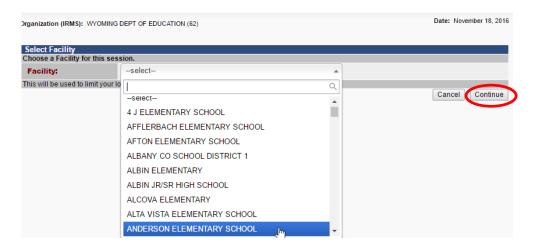
## LOGIN/SELECT FACILITY (SCHOOL):

In the top of your browser bar, enter <a href="https://wyir.health.wyo.gov/">https://wyir.health.wyo.gov/</a> - this will take you to the WyIR landing page. From there, on the left hand side of the page, under the Main heading, click on **Login**.

This will present the WylR Web Login page, as presented below:



Enter your username and password, then click the Login button. If you are assigned to multiple schools, you will be prompted to select from the school you are working under.



Select the school you are working under, and then click on the Continue button, as highlighted above; you will be taken to the next step in the process – the **Patient Search** screen.

If you work for only one school, you will be taken directly to the Patient Search screen.

## **PATIENT (STUDENT) SEARCH:**



In order to locate a student, various methods of searching can be used – exact name only; exact name and date of birth; initials and date of birth; or just date of birth. For most students, it is recommended to enter the first initial of the first name, first initial of the last name, and also date of birth of the student in order to yield the best results when searching for the student. After entering the search criteria, click on the **Search** button. If no results present, consider broadening the search approach by only searching by date of birth.



After selecting the patient, the Patient Demographics screen will present similar to the following:

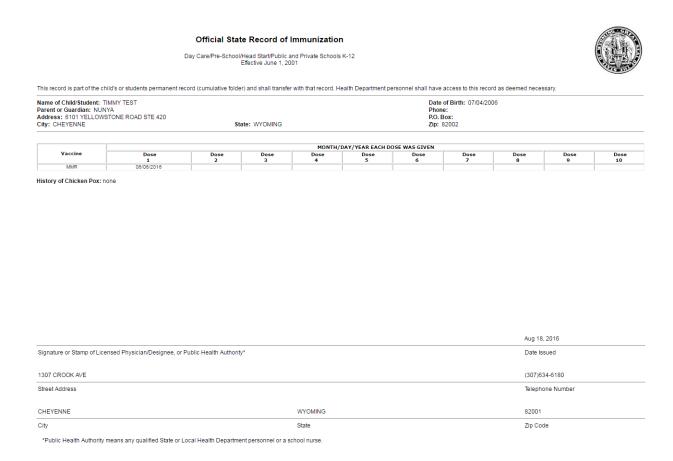


Note that the Address and other patient demographics information is not displaying – this is due to the system restricting access to certain PHI to an organization/facility that has an established clinical relationship with the patient. If the user is confident the selected patient is the student in question, please proceed to the next step, printing off an Official Record of Immunization.

## PRINTING OFF A RECORD OF IMMUNIZATION:



After a student is selected, click on **Reports-State Reports**, which will open the State Report menu (displayed above). In order to print their immunization record, click on the **Official State Record of Immunization (School Form)** link as highlighted; you will then see the Official Record of Immunization.



Please note that school nurses are recognized as a signatory authority for the form, as stated at the bottom of the record. This record should be signed and filed to remain as part of the student's official school record.